



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Michael Gauselmann  
Serial No: 09/491,779 Filing Date: January 26, 2000  
Title: METHOD FOR OPERATING A COIN ACTUATED ENTERTAINMENT AUTOMAT  
Examiner: Dolores S. Collins Art Unit: 3711

March 31, 2008

Attorney's Docket No.: ADP231T9

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313

SIR:

Transmitted herewith for filing is:

<X> AMENDMENT dated March 25, 2008 (94 pages)

(X) The applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to any Office Action outstanding in the above captioned matter as necessary to avoid abandonment of the application. Please charge my deposit account No.11-0224 in the amount required to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to the above account.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 35 U.S.C. 1.16, and 1.17, after a mailing of a Notice of Allowance under 35 USC 1.18 or any additional fees which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Acct. No.11-0224. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. If and only if account funds should be insufficient, immediately contact our associate, Lisa Zumwalt, at (703)415-0579, who will pay immediately to avoid deprivation of rights.

( ) Please charge my Account No.11-0224 in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

A signature or signatures required for the above recited document(s) is (are) provided here below. Such signature(s) also provide(s) ratification for any required signature appearing to be defective in the above recited document(s).

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**AMENDMENT**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

This is in response to an Office Action mailed on December 31, 2008, and setting a statutory period for response of three months to expire on March 31, 2008. Applicant petitions that, if required, the time for response be extended and the corresponding fee be charged. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Acct. No. 11-0224. Applicant further respectfully requests that this response be accepted as a bona fide effort to meet any potential response requirements outstanding and due in the above captioned matter.

Please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**